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As between baseball and presidential candidates this is a big year for Ohio.

No matter how much it is cut down in price we can always tell when a Ford is coming.

The White Sox had to be sent to the laundry.  
Abe Martin says: "Gasoline is a little better about as poor as the folks that have to use it."

#### BACK TALK

The Burlington News observes that Cox seems to be losing his temper as well as his election.

Despatches from Constantinople say the Sultan of Turkey is sick. The Rutland News says nobody but a sick man would want that job any how.

We had always supposed and hoped that baseball was clean sport, and with the bare Times, still think the game of three-year-old cat is fairly honest.

Don't blame the weather man, says the Bennington Banner, if it rains. He may be able to guess what is coming, but he can't stop it.

#### REGISTER, THEN VOTE!

Tuesday, November 2, is the determining day.

We may talk and write and argue and discuss for or against this candidate or that. We may get excited or not, but the real test is to come when the vote is taken and the best guess will be recorded when the result is made known after the count.

All men and women eligible to vote should see to it that their names are on the check list, and then should complete the program by casting their vote on election day.

This is not only every voter's privilege, but a solemn responsibility and important duty.

#### STATE PRESS

What Vermont Newspaper Editors Find Time to Talk About

#### GALLANTRY OF OUR MEN

The politicians haven't said a word about the plain people since women got to vote.—Rutland News.

#### THE FUN OF IT

Mr. Hartness may have spent more in his gubernatorial campaign than all the other candidates put together, twice over, but then he got twice as much fun out of it, without doubt, to say nothing of leading in the state two to one when the votes were counted.—Springfield Reporter.

#### NO CHANGE NEEDED IN VT.

Women voters will begin to think it "is just one thing after another." Out in Indiana there is a state law which requires that 18 inches of the voter's legs shall show beneath the curtain in the voting booth. Just how this law is to be interpreted, with women voting, is said to be giving election experts much food for thought. This is one thing the women of Vermont haven't got to worry about.—Brattleboro Reformer.

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### ST. JOHNSBURY Local News

The St. Johnsbury College Club held a successful meeting Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. A. Shield, Mrs. Nelson and Miss Hodgdon assisted the hosts.

Mrs. Wendell N. Drew of Hartford, Conn., has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Burbank. In celebration of his third birthday Gordon Smith was given a party at his home No. 19 Cliff St., Monday afternoon. Halloween favors were given when ice cream and cake was served. The guests were Henry Fuller, Charles H. Horton, Jr., Helen Fowler, Betty Goodrich and Margaret Pearl.

The Ladies' Circle of the Universalist church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. F. A. Scott on Pearl St. instead of with Mrs. C. J. Gilman as previously announced.

The October meeting for the Missionary Round Table was held Monday evening with Mrs. Charles Purcell. Reports were read from Bennington and Northfield. Sewing was done during the evening for Brightlook Hospital. Forty-five ladies were present. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

The Vermont Osteopathic society will hold its annual meeting at St. Albans, Oct. 16 and among the papers to be read on that occasion is one by Dr. Dale S. Atwood of St. Johnsbury upon "The Effect of Diet upon the Osteopathic Lesion."

Mrs. Gladys V. Livingstone, who has spent the summer in Rutland, with her uncle, Charles Livingstone, has entered Eggleston's business college of that city for special training in office work.

Mrs. Clinton Bennett of Boston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Matilda Taylor.

Mrs. G. F. Ruggles of West Burke who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. Edward Waite, for a week has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Luther S. Jewett, Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brooks have returned from attending the big Brockton fair.

Mr. Robert D. Merrill of Batton has been visiting Mrs. Jean Stanley Goodrich.

Mrs. Elmer H. Gaskill of Bennington has been visiting her St. Johnsbury friends, leaving Friday for Newport to visit her daughter, Mrs. Donald J. Emery.

Clarence H. Demsey of Milton, Mass., who has just been chosen commissioner of education for Vermont, called on a few of his St. Johnsbury friends Saturday between trains in returning from Burlington to Boston. He will make his home in Montpelier.

Dr. William G. Ricker was re-elected president of the Vermont Medical society at their Rutland meeting and Dr. C. A. Cramton was toastmaster at the annual banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinman spent Sunday at Hoel Hinman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hill of New York City spent Sunday with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peck. Mrs. Hill was formerly Miss Anna Peck, and spent the summer in France and Switzerland.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Philbrook will present "Honeycomb Lane" with a large local talent cast at Newport Monday night. Their many St. Johnsbury friends hope to see them here again.

Miss Mary McGovern went to Boston Saturday for a couple of days.

Fred Walker has purchased a new Ford touring car of W. A. Wright.

Miss Ann Badger of Danville spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Badger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marshall and family of Northumberland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lachance.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Barquin, Misses Mable Selev spent Sunday in Williamstown and Barre.

Rev. and Clement of Woodville spent Sunday at Frank Blossom's.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Parks and Miss Janette Parks spent the week end in Littleton.

Alton A. Fay, who has been working at Swift & Co.'s has been transferred to Augusta, Me.

Miss Olive Towle of Burlington is visiting Miss Grace Libbey.

Miss Annie Craigie who has been visiting Mr. William Parks the past two weeks, has returned home.

Harold M. Worthen of Springfield, Mass., is spending the week at Harry Marden's.

Miss Catherine Morrison is taking a few days' vacation from the Geo. H. Cross bakery.

Mrs. F. G. Johnson and daughter, Alice, are visiting relatives in Canaan, N. H.

Mrs. Frances Leach is working at F. C. Sherburne's.

John Simonds is in the Southern part of New Hampshire this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bailey are home from Boston where they spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Clifford and two children and Walter Stanton visited at George H. Stanton's at North Danville Sunday.

Miss Mary Nelson was home over Sunday from her work at St. Albans.

Mrs. Katherine Olanick attended the funeral of Walter Clifford at Montpelier, N. H., Saturday.

Miss Margaret Vance visited her sister, Miss Hazel Vance, at Brightlook Hospital Sunday.

Miss Olive Bennett spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bennett at North Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Chase visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chase at Montpelier Falls Sunday.

Mr. D. H. Chase has been visiting friends in North Thetford.

H. H. Carr has been appointed by Gov. Clement a member of the commission in charge of the state census, called by Gov. Carr and "Big Chief" Carr of Burlington Monday to attend the meeting of the

commission and of the state firemen's association.

St. Johnsbury sent quite a delegation to the joint annual meeting and banquet of the New Hampshire Bankers' Association and the Northeastern Bankers' Association at Whitefield, N. H., Saturday afternoon and evening. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert E. Woods, R. N. Howard, Donald McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smith, R. C. Baker, A. C. Adelsbert Charles Flanders of St. Johnsbury and Miss Emily Mara Allen of Morrisville were married at the district parsonage on Saturday evening. Rev. E. W. Sharp, district superintendent, performing the ceremony.

There will be a special meeting of the Chamberlain W. R. C. on Thursday evening. All members of the corps, who are planning to attend the district meeting are urged to be present if possible. The Chamberlain Corps will exemplify the work of the Ritual at that meeting and it is essential that all who can shall attend the rehearsal.

Charles Ricker, who has been employed at the Boston and Maine office has been transferred to the Springfield office.

Mrs. E. M. Massey was called to Putney Wednesday by the illness of her son-in-law, Fred Gee. Her son, Archie Massey, who returned from the Northwest Monday night, went with her.

D. W. Fales spent Tuesday in his old home town of Lyme, N. H., calling on old friends.

Mrs. Chursey Skinner of Orleans was in town this week visiting friends.

W. S. Davis is home from a business trip to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore are visiting in Newport today.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Gilman are home from New Boston, N. H.

Thomas Gale of Newport spent Wednesday as the guest of W. S. Masten.

Mrs. Wendell Drew of Hartford, Conn., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Burbank.

"The Doctrine of the Atonement" will be the subject at the Christian Science church on Sunday morning.

Fire Prevention month fire extinguishers, The Peck Co.

Wright of Portsmouth have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wright.

A daughter, Barbara Otis, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Brown at Mrs. Moore's Sanitarium, Oct. 11.

W. A. Wright has received word from his mother, Mrs. Jane Wright, and brother, Charles, of their safe arrival in Valia, Calif., where they will spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Addison Preston.

Mr. Gilbert T. Park and son, Richard of Greenfield, Mass., are here visiting Mrs. Peter Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harvey of Newport are visiting her brother, Bert Massey, and family this week.

Amos W. Scott is home from a business trip to Boston.

County Agent M. V. Barnes and Manager E. H. Hallett are in East Ryegate today on business for the Farm Bureau.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Sherburne and Mrs. Lula Baker went to Bartlett, N. H., Tuesday.

Plan to save Oct. 22 for Cafeteria supper at South Church. adv 11

E. G. Asselin is spending a few days in Boston on business.

The American Legion Benefit at the Globe brought a record attendance and thanks are due the public for their hearty support and interest.

"The Lost Battalion" was a fitting tribute to the courage and bravery of the Seventy-seventh Division and will prove a lasting epic of the great war. The orchestra and the martial music added enjoyment to the evening's entertainment.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace Methodist church will meet in the church parlors on Thursday afternoon. A large attendance is desired as sewing will be done for the bazaar.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Bissonette of Burlington are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crosby.

Rev. Francis H. Laird of Barre is over on at Brightlook hospital on Monday morning.

Mrs. Dale Sanson is confined to the house by illness.

Portwell Moore, who has been one of the rural carriers for a number of years has been transferred to the position of substitute clerk at the St. Johnsbury post office and will later be appointed a regular clerk to succeed Frank X. Lanette.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLean are spending two weeks in Boston.

Dr. Ricker, Ross and Farmer are attending the meeting of the American college of Surgeons at Montreal and will return home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Fletcher and daughter, Beulah, Mr. and Mrs. Preston May are home from several days spent in Burlington.

The Green Mountain Grange has postponed the third and fourth degrees and have a session until the first meeting in November.

At a Colonial tea party for members of the D. A. R., at the home of Mrs. Amos W. Gee in Lebanon, N. H., recently, the guest of honor was Miss Annie V. Loveland of St. Johnsbury, a direct descendant of Sumbit Wheatley, for whom the Lebanon D. A. R. chapter was named.

P. F. Hazen and Dr. C. A. Cramton are away for three weeks in the interests of the Passumpsic Savings Bank and will visit Kansas and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Mary Belden of East Burke is more comfortable.

Mrs. John Wilkins and her daughter, Mrs. Jasper Fowler of Richmond, Que., are visiting Mrs. Wilkins' son.

The October meeting of the Searchlight Club to be held at Elmwood, will be postponed to Oct. 18.

Paul Gilman and Paul Sherer have purchased a tract of pulpwood in the town of Albany and Mr. Gilman

is going into the pulpwood business.

Mrs. Hoel Hinman entertained the Birthday Club at her home on Wednesday. What was played at three tables and the prizes were won by Mrs. Helen Stafford. The consolation prize was taken by Mrs. Helen Allison. Refreshments were served.

Cards have been received here announcing the law partnership in the city of Washington of Joseph Fairbanks, so well-known in St. Johnsbury, and Miller D. Steever. The firm of Fairbanks & Steever have their office at 8 Jackson Place. Mr. Fairbanks had the rank of Colonel at the close of the war and was vice chairman of the war department claims board after the armistice. During the war he was at Washington in the Judge Advocate General's office.

Judge W. W. Wesley has returned from Montpelier where he attended a meeting of the probate judges of Vermont and at which several matters relative to making changes in the laws of this department were under consideration. The trust deed of Alexander Dunnet was informally discussed a presentation some interesting questions in regard to its interpretation and the final settlement of the estate.

Mrs. Ed N. Spencer of Des Moines Iowa spent two days here with her sister, Mrs. Fred G. Moore on her way to Bethlehem, Pa.

Mrs. Warren Bailey of East Ryegate spent Thursday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd attended the reception of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kittredge at Lyndonville Thursday night.

Mrs. Horace Gleason and Mrs. W. H. Phelps of Melrose Falls spent Thursday here.

Mrs. Carl M. Spencer of Des Moines, Iowa, who has been here the past few days visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred G. Moore and brother, Silas Baughn, left Thursday for Pennsylvania.

David S. Conant and Charles A. Shields are home from a few days spent in Montpelier.

Foster Dow is home from Showhegan, Me.

Dr. Charlotte Fairbanks left for Montreal Friday afternoon to attend the meeting of the American College of Surgeons of which she has long been a member.

Mrs. Maria Mudgett of Wolcott has been spending a few days in town and returned home Thursday.

Harvey Morrison has moved from Webster street to a tenement on School St.

Harry Gordon is spending a few days in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ware of Coventry are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Wright on Pearl street.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Ly t r Mrs. Elbridge and Mrs. Myron Smith are Dr. J. M. Allen is this week in Providence, R. I., attending the meeting and clinics of the New England Surgical Society. This society was organized in 1916, and comprises the best known surgeons in New England. Its membership is limited to 100 and at present there are about seventy-five on the rolls. Dr. Allen is one of the six members from Vermont, and the only one on the east side of the state north of Brattleboro.

Reuben Cutting has moved to the house he purchased on Webster St.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Spencer of Plainfield are here for their household goods. They have sold their house on Pleasant Street to William Arkley of Lyndon.

Mrs. Ernest Hartshorn and two children of Danville spent Thursday here.

Miss Clara Bunnell of Laconia and Fred N. Perrard of St. Johnsbury were married at the Baptist parsonage, Oct. 2 by Rev. A. S. Woodworth.

Dr. Alice E. Wakefield was one of the speakers at the home of the Vermont Women Teachers' Club at the New Sherwood at Burlington Thursday night, speaking on the theme "The New Civic Responsibilities of Vermont Women."

The village fire department is now organized with six regular men at the central fire station and 20 call men. Drills will be held for the latter members regularly by Chief Johnson and the department immediately put on an efficient basis.

The body of Roy Shattuck of Eden raised through St. Johnsbury Saturday on the way to his home where he was buried on Sunday with full military honors. Shattuck died in France in March, 1918. Shattuck was a member of the American Expeditionary force and went from home with the Motor Transport Company among the students at the University of Vermont.

At a district meeting with representatives from Lyndon Montpelier Oct. 4 165 candidates took the 6th

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### FIREMEN PRESENT HARRY J. MARDEN WITH GOLD WATCH

The 60 former call men in the village fire department gave their former chief, Harry J. Marden, a genuine surprise Friday night and called at his home to show their appreciation in a most substantial manner. After social greetings Fred H. Doffoff presented Mr. Marden with a Hamilton gold watch and chain and a gold handled knife. In a few well chosen words Mr. Doffoff recalled the fighting fire days and said the members of the call department wished to honor their former chief in a way that he would always remember.

Mr. Marden was so surprised and effected that he could hardly express himself, but spoke very feelingly of the loyalty and support of the firemen and of their splendid work when duty called them to service.

The two addresses were followed by a social hour and a general good time.

Everything is setting ready for the national meeting in Boston and the state meeting in St. Johnsbury this fall.

At the christening of the triplet sons of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Desrochers, which took place in the vestry of Notre Dame des Victoires Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Eugene C. Drouhin officiating, the names of Joseph Albert Eugene, Joseph Leo, and Joseph Francis were given the babies.

The godfathers and godmothers were Donald, Eleanor, Raymond, Jeanette, Fedora and Anita Desrochers, all close relatives of the triplets.

Miss Caroline S. Woodruff, who is taking a course at the Teachers College at Columbia University in New York city, was here over Sunday and left this afternoon for Burlington to attend the Vermont State Teachers' convention.

Invitations have been received to the wedding of Miss Bertha Robinson to David Craig Pierce at her home in Newtonville, Mass., Saturday, Oct. 23. She is the daughter of Mrs. Birney A. Robinson and granddaughter of Mrs. Rebecca P. Fairbanks and has been a frequent visitor to St. Johnsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rickaby have been visiting Mrs. Rickaby's mother, Mrs. Mary Menul. They were accompanied from Melrose Hills, Mass., by Col. Theodore Lamson, son of the late Charles M. Lamson. Col. Lamson is on a short leave of absence from his army duties. He expects soon to be assigned to duties in Haiti.

The Church of the Messiah and Gospel Block on Eastern Avenue are both here in a new dress of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Boydell returned last week from Bass, Mt. Washington, where they spent the summer.

Vern Aiken has purchased the shoe repairing shop on Eastern Avenue of R. C. Healey and has taken possession.

Miss Ina Clark is back at her work at the Louree and Smythe store after a four weeks' vacation.

J. E. Walker has bought the residence on Railroad street of the late George P. Moore estate.

One who has carefully observed the housing conditions in St. Johnsbury has found that there are 135 families waiting for change of place into houses. With the increasing cost of lumber and some of the building materials, and the great demand for new homes it is quite likely that next spring will see the construction of houses either of wood or concrete.

A daughter, Dorothy, was born to the late Daniel Smith, Monday, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Arthur Simpson of Lyndon.

Mrs. A. S. Hall was in town Friday and has been in St. Johnsbury since she was in St. Johnsbury with the family of Daniel Smith, the last of the family to leave St. Johnsbury.

William T. Clark of Brattleboro, who has been recently the manager at the Brattleboro Hotel, is in St. Johnsbury Saturday. He is a native of this town.

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### Greensboro Bend Couple Celebrate Golden Wedding

More than 100 friends and relatives attending the Golden Wedding Celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrille Mercier of Greensboro Bend which was held last Saturday evening. A thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent in singing and listening to music. Miss Loretta Cassevah was at the piano. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. It was midnight before the guests departed, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Mercier many more years of happiness and expressing the hope that they would be present at their Diamond Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Mercier were the recipients of many fine gifts including \$105 in gold. Mr. Mercier was presented with a pair of cuff links while Mrs. Mercier received a cameo brooch.

Mr. and Mrs. Mercier have seven children all of whom were present at the celebration. They were Joseph Mercier, Arthur Mercier and Albert Mercier all of Barre, Mrs. Benjamin Demas, Mrs. Joseph Demas and Ezra Mercier of Greensboro and Mrs. Mack Dubois of St. Johnsbury. The Merciers also have 17 grandchildren all of whom were in attendance.

Out of town guests included Mrs. George Anderson of Burlington, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mercier, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mercier and Mrs. Amelia Hartshorn of Barre